

THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(B)

Biomet 3i, LLC, a Florida corporation states that it is the Assignee of the entire right, title and interest in the patent applications/patents identified below by virtue of an assignment from the inventors of the patent applications identified below and recorded in the United States Patent and Trademark Office at the Reel and Frame numbers, also identified below:

Attorney Docket No.	Application No. (Patent No.)	Filing Date (or Issue Date)	Assignment Reel/Frame
247168-000005USC1	5,603,338	02/18/ 997	021354/0492
247168-000007USPT	5,607,480	03/04/ 997	021354/0492
247168-000010USP1	5,437,550	08/01/ 995	021354/0492
247168-000011USP1	5,692,904	12/02/ 997	021354/0492
247168-000017USPT	5,727,943	03/17/ 998	021354/0492
247168-000020USC1	5,674,071	10/07/ 997	021354/0492
247168-000027USC1	5,685,714	11/11/ 997	021354/0492
247168-000027USC2	5,947,732	09/07/ 999	021354/0492
247168-000027USC4	6,152,737	11/28/ 000	021354/0492
247168-000028USC1	6,431,869	08/13/ 002	021354/0492
247168-000028USPT	5,902,109	05/11/ 999	021354/0492
247168-000029USF1	5,582,299	12/10/ 996	021354/0492
247168-000031USP1	5,829,977	11/03/1998	021354/0492
247168-000033USC1	6,491,723	12/10/ 002	021354/0492
247168-000033USC2	6,652,765	11/25/ 003	021354/0492
247168-000033USC3	6,969,474	11/05/ 003	021354/0492
247168-000033USC4	7,169,317	01/30/ 007	021354/0492
247168-000033USC5	11/651,115	01/09/ 007	021354/0492
247168-000033USC6	12/069,867	02/13/ 008	021354/0492
247168-000033USC7	12/070,487	02/19/ 008	021354/0492
247168-000033USPT	5,876,453	03/02/1999	021354/0492
247168-000035USPT	5,863,201	01/26/1999	021354/0492
247168-000035USC1	09/237,605	02/25/1999	021354/0492
247168-000038USPT	5,725,375	03/10/ 1998	021354/0492
247168-000039USPT	5,984,680	11/16/1999	021354/0492
247168-000040USC1	5,899,695	05/04/1999	021354/0492
247168-000040USC2	6,120,293	09/19/2000	021354/0492
247168-000041USC1	6,155,828	12/05/2000	021354/0492
247168-000041USPT	5,873,722	02/23/1999	021354/0492
247168-000047USPT	4,856,994	08/15/1389	021354/0492
247168-000049USPT	4,955,811	09/11/1990	021354/0492

247168-000050USPT	4,988,297	01/29/ 991	021354/0492
247168-000051USPT	4,988,298	01/29/ 991	021354/0492
247168-000052USPT	5,000,686	03/19/ 991	021354/0492
247168-000053USPT	5,006,069	04/09/ 991	021354/0492
247168-000055USPT	5,040,983	08/20/ 991	021354/0492
247168-000056USPT	5,071,351	12/10/ 991	021354/0492
247168-000058USPT	5,188,800	02/23/ 993	021354/0492
247168-000061USPT	5,322,443	06/21/ 994	021354/0492
247168-000062USPT	5,338,196	08/16/ 994	021354/0492
247168-000064USPT	5,366,412	11/22/ 994	021354/0492
247168-000067USPT	5,846,079	12/08/ 998	021354/0492
247168-000068USC1	6,899,715	05/31/ 005	021354/0492
247168-000068USPT	6,171,312	01/09/ 001	021354/0492
247168-000070USPT	5,702,252	12/30/1997	021354/0492
247168-000078USPT	5,685,715	11/11/1997	021354/0492
247168-000079USD1	5,816,811	10/06/1998	021354/0492
247168-000083USPT	6,135,773	10/24/ 000	021354/0492
247168-000084USPT	6,227,856	05/08/ 001	021354/0492
247168-000088USC1	6,203,323	03/20/ 001	021354/0492
247168-000088USD1	7,344,376	03/18/ 008	021354/0492
247168-000088USD2	12/074,124	02/28/ 008	021354/0492
247168-000088USP1	6,619,958	09/16/ 003	021354/0492
247168-000088USPT	5,964,591	10/12/1999	021354/0492
247168-000089USC1	5,868,572	02/09/1999	021354/0492
247168-000089USPR	RE38,630	10/19/ 004	021354/0492
247168-000092USC2	6,565,357	05/20/ 003	021354/0492
247168-000092USD1	6,129,548	10/10/ 000	021354/0492
247168-000093USPT	RE36,689	05/09/ 000	021354/0492
247168-000094USPR	RE36,126	03/02/1999	021354/0492
247168-000096USC1	6,287,116	09/11/ 001	021354/0492
247168-000096USPT	5,879,161	03/09/1999	021354/0492
247168-000100USPT	5,397,269	03/14/1995	021354/0492
247168-000103USPT	5,899,697	05/04/1999	021354/0492
247168-000106USPT	5,462,436	10/31/1995	021354/0492
247168-000107USPT	5,433,665	07/18/1995	021354/0492
247168-000108USPT	RE37,227	06/12/ 001	021354/0492
247168-000109USD1	6,394,809	05/28/ 002	021354/0492
247168-000109USPT	6,217,331	04/17/ 001	021354/0492
247168-000109USC1	10/837,801	05/03/ 004	021354/0492
247168-000110USPT	5,938,443	08/17/1999	021354/0492
247168-0001129USPT	6,159,010	12/12/ 000	021354/0492
247168-000131USC1	6,343,930	02/05/ 002	021354/0492
247168-000131USP1	6,168,435	01/02/ 001	021354/0492
247168-000136USC1	6,592,507	07/15/ 003	021354/0492
247168-000136USD1	6,413,200	07/02/ 002	021354/0492

247168-000136USPT	6,325,750	12/04/2001	021354/0492
247168-000141USP2	5,989,026	11/23/1999	021354/0492
247168-000142USPT	6,758,672	07/06/2004	021354/0492
247168-000142USC1	10/837,803	05/03/2004	021354/0492
247168-000144USPT	6,514,258	02/04/2003	021354/0492
247168-000146USP1	6,790,040	09/14/2004	021354/0492
247168-000146USPT	6,558,162	05/06/2003	021354/0492
247168-000146USC1	10/879,892	06/21/2004	021354/0492
247168-000146USC2	12/156,753	06/04/2008	021354/0492
247168-000149USC1	6,398,552	06/04/2002	021354/0492
247168-000149USPT	6,186,785	02/13/2001	021354/0492
247168-000154USPT	4,850,870	07/24/2001	021354/0492
247168-000155USD1	6,290,499	09/18/2001	021354/0492
247168-000158USPT	6,716,187	04/06/2004	021354/0492
247168-000158USD1	10/784,336	02/23/2004	021354/0492
247168-000173USPT	6,887,077	05/03/2005	021354/0492
247168-000201USPX	5,204,106	04/20/ 993	021354/0492
247168-000202USPT	5,658,332	08/19/ 997	021354/0492
247168-000216USPT	7,018,207	03/28/2006	021354/0492
247168-000245USPT	7,338,286	03/04/2008	021354/0492
247168-000245USD1	12/002,594	12/18/2007	021354/0492
247168-000270USPT	10/843,916	05/12/2004	021354/0492
247168-000328USPX	11/921,818	12/07/2007	021354/0492
247168-000333USP1	12/070,922	02/22/2008	021354/0492
247168-000333USPT	11/585,705	10/24/2006	021354/0492
247168-000340USPT	11/591,700	11/02/2006	021354/0492
247168-000341USPT	11/598,610	11/13/2006	021354/0492
247168-000344USPT	12/001,863	12/13/2007	021354/0492
247168-000347USPT	11/820,831	06/21/2007	021354/0492
247168-000349USPT	11/999,861	12/07/2007	021354/0492
247168-000351USPT	11/977,351	10/24/2007	021354/0492
247168-000354USPT	11/598,614	11/13/2006	021354/0492
247168-000356USPT	12/151,261	05/05/2008	021354/0492

The undersigned, whose title is supplied below, is authorized to act on behalf of the assignee.

8/21/08
Date

Glenn L. Criser
Glenn L. Criser, Esq.
Title: Senior Vice President and Division Counsel
Biomet 3i, LLC

(561) 776-6703
Telephone No.